

**HARD ATTACK
WAS PUT DOWN**

Germans Try Desperately
to Regain Ground Near
Hollebeke

**BRITISH HOLD FAST
TO THEIR NEW LINES**

Another German Attack at
West Hoek Was Re-
pulsed by British

London, Aug. 6.—German forces last night again attacked the new British lines in the neighborhood of Hollebeke on the Belgian front but were repulsed, according to the official report received to-day from General Haig. A German attack on British positions at West Hoek was also unsuccessful.

BRITISH ALSO STOPPED

Unable to Gain Near the Lys River, Says
German Account.

Berlin, via London, Aug. 6.—Strong British attacks were made yesterday against German positions between the Ypres-Menin road and the river Lys on the Belgian front, says the official statement to-day. All the attacks were repulsed.

**GERMANY IS LOSING
BUT FEW SUBMARINES**

Official Statement from Berlin Declares
That the Average Since Feb. 1 Has
Been Only Slightly More
Than Three a Month.

Berlin, via London, Aug. 6.—It is officially declared that, contrary to the rumors of overwhelming losses in submarines the monthly average is little more than three underwater boats lost during the period from Feb. 1 to August, while the monthly increase in submarines constructed is many times larger.

CANADIANS VICTORIOUS.

Carried Their Lines Still Further About
City of Lens.

British headquarters in France and Belgium, Aug. 6 (By the Associated Press).—The Germans at 5 o'clock Sunday morning launched a heavy attack against Hollebeke and the British post just north of the Ypres-Combrines canal in an attempt to regain these important positions which they lost in the opening day of the battle in Flanders. The latest reports concerning the fighting indicate that the British are holding out strongly against the onslaught.

This attack with the advance of the Canadians along a thousand-yard front before Lens which took them into the environs of the town, are the outstanding features of the most recent activity along the British front.

In the operations at Lens Saturday night the Canadians pushed forward to a depth of about 200 yards on a line between Lens-Grenay railway and the Cite Du Moulin, directly south, and since have consolidated their positions among the buildings.

The deluge of rain which had lasted since Tuesday evening ceased during the night, by noon the sun was shining and the roads and marshy battleground began to dry out rapidly, rendering observation work and the movement of troops much easier.

The attack on Hollebeke and vicinity was preceded by a tremendous artillery fire from the enemy batteries. The Germans shelled Battlewood and the canal zone just north of Hollebeke throughout the night. The British guns replied vigorously and at times the duel assumed waves of deafening thunder rolling far back of the British lines.

The British coup which resulted in the further tightening of the lines about the mining center and industrial town of Lens was carried out with only slight opposition from the enemy. The Canadians advanced in parties toward their objectives among the houses on the outskirts of the town. Some resistance was encountered, from machine guns concealed in buildings, but the Canadians advanced steadily until they had acquired the entire line sought. Here they installed themselves in buildings and cellars and set up machine guns. No counter-attacks followed and the Canadians continued their consolidations until yesterday morning, when they had linked up the whole line with barbed wire and were prepared to meet any enemy advance.

The German artillery was active along most of the front Saturday night shelling the forward areas newly occupied by the allied troops. There was also considerable shelling of the back areas with gas shells. Wytchachte and the section south of Messines especially being selected for this work of hate.

The British continued to make progress on the left flank and pushed their posts forward to the east side of the Steenbeek river along a front of approximately a mile. The ground in this section has been among the most hotly contested places in the zone of the new offensive.

North of Bixchoote the French too made further progress under heavy fire from the enemy guns, which have been pounding the French positions steadily since the first day of the push.

The lifting of the clouds brought out large numbers of German airplanes, which were very active Saturday night at low altitudes over the British lines. Special religious services on the occasion of the beginning of the fourth year

of the war were held yesterday throughout the British army camps. Wherever possible large bodies of troops and officers gathered to render thanks and re-consecrate themselves to the task they have undertaken. In one place 15,000 soldiers collected for the open-air service.

**FRANCE IS
STRONG TO-DAY**

Tardieu Gives Figures in Men and Material—Troops in June Were Facing
81 of 123 German Divisions
in the West.

Washington, Aug. 6.—France is stronger to-day in fighting men and war materials than at any time during the war, despite three years of terrific combat, of which the greatest share among the allies has fallen to the French armies.

This is the cheering message to the American people given Saturday night by Andre Tardieu, high commissioner of France in the United States, in a formal communication to Secretary Baker setting forth a detailed statement of what the devotion of the French people has made possible. It contains stunning figures as to the men, guns and money they have contributed to the war. It breathes the spirit of confidence and high courage that still animates the nation.

It asserts without hesitation that the United States is to aid in striking the last blow at the foe.

"Such is the situation," says M. Tardieu in conclusion. "Severe was the ordeal; stronger is the national energy."

"Now it is a question of striking the last blow to the adversary. You will help us!"

"But at the moment when American soldiers arrive in France it is proper to let them know what they will find to receive them in a country which to-day, as well as during the past three years, bears the principal exertion of our dreadful foe; a country which maintains to the maximum of her power, without hesitation and without weakness, her means and her will."

Secretary Baker paid high compliment to the spirit of France in his brief reply. American officers are unanimous, he says, in their praise of the splendid courage and military efficiency of the French people.

"Now that America has begun to contribute soldiers and material to this war," says the secretary, "it will be well for our people to have the story you have told, in order that we may realize that our army is going to share the imperishable glory which belongs to the soldiers of France and her allies who have fought so long and with such increasing spirit and determination in the cause of liberty."

**CHINA IS READY
TO DECLARE WAR**

Acting President Kwo-Chang Approves
Unanimous Decision Reached at
Special Meeting of the
Cabinet.

Peking, Aug. 6 (Delayed).—Acting President Feng Kwo-Chang to-day approved the unanimous decision reached at a special meeting of the Chinese cabinet to declare war on Germany and Austria-Hungary. The ministers of the entire powers will probably meet at the Chinese foreign office Saturday to discuss China's declaration of war, which is expected to be issued next week.

The acting president has asked for liberal appropriations to be used in suppressing the southern military elements. Parliamentarians are assembling at Canton and are preparing to organize a military government, with the sanction of Parliament and to elect a president.

Premier Tuan Chi Jui and his political followers insist that Feng Kwo-Chang as vice-president automatically becomes president when Li Yuan-Hung declined to resume the office.

**VILLA'S FORCES NOW
LESS THAN HUNDRED**

Former Military Leader of Revolution
Has Turned to His Former Methods
of Banditry.

Juarez, Mexico, Aug. 6.—Francisco Villa has been eliminated as a military factor in Mexico and has reverted to his old methods of banditry, according to General Murguia, chief of the northeastern zone. Villa, he said, has less than one hundred men.

NOT SO WEALTHY.

Mrs. De Saules Now Has Only \$63,000,
Not Millions.

Minneapolis, N. Y., Aug. 6.—Mrs. Bianca Errazuriz de Saules, who is in the county jail here charged with first degree murder for shooting her former husband, John Long de Saules, was not heiress to millions at the time of her marriage, as was generally believed, but possessed a fortune of only \$150,000, according to a statement made last night by Henry A. Uterhart, her attorney.

The lawyer declared that the marital differences of Mr. and Mrs. de Saules, which led to a divorce decree for her, began soon after she learned that the vast Chilean fortune she had expected to inherit had been squandered by relatives and that her wealth was only a fragment of what it had been reputed.

AUTO OVERTURNED.

Two Women Hurt.—One Perhaps Has
Broken Neck.

Manchester, N. H., Aug. 6.—Mrs. N. A. Jorick Pelletier and Mrs. Arsene Doucet, both of 402 Auburn street, are in a hospital as the result of serious injuries received by the automobile in which they were riding turning turtle yesterday at the corner of the Mammoth and Derry roads. The latter, it is feared, has a broken neck and the former a broken arm.

**TWO OFFICES
FOR KERENSKY**

Will Be Premier and Minister of War and Marine in
New Government

**LIST OF MINISTERS
IS AGREED UPON**

Constitutional Democrats
Have Agreed to Participate

Petrograd, Aug. 6.—Kerensky's cabinet is practically complete. The Constitutional Democrats have agreed to participate and a list of members who will serve in the new ministry have been agreed upon, but as regards several portfolios the choice is not definite, as the candidates are absent from Petrograd. Kerensky, in addition to the premier, will be minister of war and marine.

The all-night political conference at the winter palace, which was concluded Saturday morning by the passage of a resolution in which confidence in Premier Kerensky was expressed by each of the five parties represented and in which he was invited to form his own cabinet, was conducted in the strictest order, but with intense emotion. All the participants were obviously convinced that the decision which was to be reached meant Russia's regeneration or her ruin.

Foreign Minister Terestchenko declared that peace was inconceivable, that Russia must prepare to fight throughout the winter and that Premier Kerensky alone possessed the confidence of the nation. M. Tsereteli, the minister of posts and telegraphs, echoed the view that Kerensky was the only man who could save the country. In order to alleviate his task, declared the speaker, the government would abstain from forcing through the party program.

After these men had spoken, the procurator of the holy synod, M. Lvoff, rose and said that he, too, considered the premier the man destined to be Russia's savior.

Paul N. Milukoff, leader of the Constitutional Democrats, stated that his party was still ready to attempt the formation of a coalition government with M. Kerensky as a chief who had all the qualifications for success.

Vice-Premier Nekrasov declared that a counter revolution exists and is growing day by day. Therefore the restoration of a strong government, he declared, must be immediate.

**HUNDREDS DEAD
OR BADLY INJURED**

German Munition Factory Blown Up at
Henningsdorf in Worst Catastrophe
of the Kind Germany Has
Had Since War Began.

London, Aug. 6.—According to reports from the German frontier by a correspondent at Amsterdam of the Exchange Telegraph company, an explosion at Henningsdorf was one of the worst catastrophes of the kind in Germany since the war began. A munition factory was wiped out, 300 people were killed or injured and much damage was done. The city has been isolated by the police and troops.

DROWNED WHILE BATHING.

William Kelly of Morrisville Got in Beyond
His Depth.

Morrisville, Aug. 6.—William Kelly, aged 14 years, son of Mrs. Lena Kelly, was drowned yesterday afternoon about 3:30 o'clock while in bathing with some younger boys at Lake Lamolite near Samoset. The boy got in beyond his depth. Frantic efforts to save him were made by his companions, who once got hold of his hair, but the boy was too heavy and sank. The body was recovered in about an hour.

**Record Breaking Totals in United States
Foreign Trade.**

Imports of merchandise into as well as exports from the United States during the fiscal year 1917 greatly exceeded the figures of former years, according to a statement just issued by the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce of the department of commerce. In round numbers imports amounted to \$2,659,000,000 and exports to \$6,294,000,000 for merchandise only, thus showing an excess of exports over imports of \$3,635,000,000, with a total foreign trade of \$8,933,000,000.

Imports in 1917 show an increase of \$461,000,000 over 1916, \$985,000,000 over 1915 and \$765,000,000 over 1914—the last normal year before the war. Exports in 1917 were larger by \$1,961,000,000 than in 1916, \$3,325,000,000 more than in 1915, and \$3,929,000,000 over the 1914 figures.

The gain in the balance of trade in 1917 over previous years amounted to \$1,499,000,000 over 1916, \$2,540,000,000 over 1915, and \$3,164,000,000 over 1914, with increases in the total foreign trade of \$4,222,000,000 over 1915, \$4,511,000,000 over 1916 and \$4,665,000,000 over 1914.

For the single month of June, 1917, the total imports were \$307,000,000, of which \$218,000,000, or 71 per cent, were entered free of duty. The total during this month exceeds by \$36,000,000 the imports of the previous month of May, which up to that time were the highest in any one month.

Exports of merchandise during June amounted to \$376,000,000, the highest in any month with the exception of January, 1917, which shows exports valued at \$613,000,000.

**BOUGHT A DRINK,
ARRESTED BAR TENDER**

Orange County Officers Caused a Sensation at Hotel Vermont in Burlington Where the Bar Was Promptly Closed.

Burlington, Aug. 6.—The Hotel Vermont bar was closed yesterday afternoon at one o'clock by Sheriff A. A. Reed of Williamstown, on a warrant issued by State's Attorney Allen Martin on the charge of violating the public statutes relating to the sale of intoxicating liquor on Sunday.

The warrant was made out for John Doe, and it was served on John Dunn, the bartender on duty at the time, by the sheriff of Orange county, who was accompanied by Deputy Sheriff George A. Tracy of Chelsea, and Deputy Sheriff Leon M. McAllister of Williamstown, these two men also being from Orange county.

The first inkling of trouble in the air arose after one of the deputies had purchased a drink of gin and began grinning at the bartender. The bottle was then seized by the sheriff. This evidence in hand, the next step was to read the warrant, which was also done by the sheriff. After this formality the bartender was placed under arrest, and Sheriff Allen was sent for.

Deputy Sheriff Tracy hurried to the county jail to get the sheriff of Chittenden county, but he was informed that the sheriff was at his home in Essex Junction. Deputy Sheriff Tracy then called the sheriff on the phone, and that official came to this city immediately.

Once at the hotel, the bartender was turned over to the sheriff's custody. The man under arrest then called for a bondsman, and after telephonic communication with Allen Martin, state's attorney, the prisoner was released under \$500 bail for his appearance in court, Sheriff Allen becoming surety.

After his release from the sheriff's custody, Mr. Dunn immediately closed the barroom door leading to the lobby of the hotel, no more hard or soft drinks being sold during the remainder of the day. The hotel dining room was filled at the time with guests, many of whom, it is said, had been in the habit of indulging in drinks with their meals there for years.

There was no commotion, however, but the incident remained the sole topic for discussion at the hotel throughout the remainder of the afternoon and evening.

The plan to raid the hotel was pre-arranged is now admitted by all connected with the hostelry, especially as the sheriff and his two deputies from Orange county had been registered part of Saturday and all of Saturday night at the hotel.

Others could not understand why sheriffs from the eastern part of the state should be brought into Sheriff Allen's territory to enforce a statute law, but this is easily understood when one stops to consider that men from this locality would be detected by the frequenters of the bar rooms.

Max L. Powell, the proprietor of the hotel, was out of town yesterday, and could not be seen, and it is a question what action will be taken.

RAIDS IN ST. ALBANS.

Resulted in Two Seizures of Liquor—
Hearing Later.

St. Albans, Aug. 6.—Two successful raids for liquor were made in this city Saturday afternoon and night. In the afternoon Chief of Police J. F. Mahoney and Deputy Sheriff L. P. Martin raided N. Arpin's home on Pine street and found six gallons of liquor which they seized. At midnight Saturday night they raided the house on Pine street occupied by William Bernier and seized two cases of beer. There were five persons in the house, three of them United States soldiers. Bernier was arrested and lodged in the Franklin county jail. The soldiers were allowed to go after they had given the officers their names. Hearings in the cases will be held as soon as State's Attorney W. R. McPeeters returns home, which, it is expected, will be early this week.

OLD CHURCH THE MECCA.

Many Hundreds Turned Out for Service
in Rockingham.

Bellows Falls, Aug. 6.—The annual pilgrimage to the old meeting house in Rockingham was observed yesterday. The weather was ideal and between 700 and 800 people were present, some coming from as far as Albany, N. Y., Springfield, Mass., and Poughkeepsie. This meeting house was built in 1783 and is highly prized as an architectural relic. It is owned by the town of Rockingham and yesterday's pilgrimage was the eighth observance. Music was provided by a double male quartet and a brass quartet led by George B. Wheeler of Wheeler's Bellows Falls band. The preacher was Rev. W. W. Fenn, dean of Harvard divinity school, who gave an address on "Neighborhood."

KILLED IN DRAFT RIOT.

Edward Blalock, Objector to Military
Service, the victim.

Holdenville, Okla., Aug. 6.—Fighting between organized resistors of the selective draft and possumen near here last night resulted in the killing of Edward Blalock, an objector to military service, and the wounding of two possumen, Jack Paige and Henry Johnson. Paige was carried off by the gang. A large posse has gone to his rescue.

Work on the new residence which Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sanguinetti are erecting on the Tilden lot, so called, on North Main street, is going forward rapidly. Forms for the cement have been laid and most of the foundation is completed.

John Mercer and son, Leslie, of North Main street have returned from a stay of several days in Boston, where the latter participated in the annual Caledonian games Saturday. Young Mercer figured in the sword dances and the highland fling competitions.

**BIG OVERTURN
IN GERMANY**

Resignations of Nine Officials Were Formally Announced To-day

**FINANCE MINISTER
AND THE INTERIOR**

Dr. Von Kuehlmann Is Made
Secretary for Foreign
Affairs

Berlin, via London, Aug. 6.—Official announcement was made to-day that five ministers of state, including Foreign Secretary Zimmermann and four secretaries of state, including Finance Minister Lentze and Interior Minister Von Loebell, have resigned their portfolios. Dr. Richard Von Kuehlmann, German ambassador to Turkey, has been appointed secretary for foreign affairs to succeed Dr. Zimmermann.

Those resigning were the following ministers of state: Minister of Justice Dr. Beeler; Minister of Ecclesiastical Affairs and Instruction Dr. Von Trost Zu Solde; Minister of Agriculture, Domains and Forests Dr. Von Schorlemer; Minister of Finance Dr. Lentze; Minister of the Interior Herr Von Loebell.

The following secretaries of state resigned: Imperial postoffice, Herr Kraetke; justice, Dr. Lisco; foreign affairs, Zimmermann; president of the food regulation board, Adolph Von Batocki. The undersecretary of the imperial home office, Dr. Richter, also resigned.

**VERMONT GUARDSMEN
IN FEDERAL SERVICE**

Were Taken Over Yesterday and It Is
Supposed They Will Take the
Name of 95th Regiment
of Infantry.

Burlington, Aug. 6.—Contrary to expectations, no ceremony was connected with the drafting of the First Vermont infantry into the federal service, which occurred yesterday. They will ultimately be assigned as infantry in the regular army with a different number. It has been rumored that the new designation will be the 95th regiment of infantry, but no definite information has been received along these lines. The guard will for the present go under the old name of the First Vermont. In spite of the drafting of the National Guard, throughout the country into the federal service it is understood that the government aims to retain the identity of the guard as a separate institution from the regulars.

Several hundred people gathered at the state reservation yesterday afternoon and heard the band concert, rendered by the First Vermont band. Following the concert there was guard mount and a battalion parade. The guard is fast rounding into shape through the intensive training that the men are now putting in every day. They now are using the new rifles, which recently arrived. A telegram was received from Washington Saturday afternoon at the National Guard headquarters instructing the recruiting office to discontinue all recruiting. The regiment is now over war strength, with the reservists, but no instructions have been received as yet as to their disposition, and doubtless many will be disqualified because of physical disability.

BELIEVED POISONED.

Mitchell Lucia Pitched Off Seat in Bur-
lington Park and Soon Died.

Burlington, Aug. 6.—An autopsy was held this morning at the Mary Fletcher hospital to determine the cause of death of Mitchell Lucia, who died there early yesterday morning from the effects, it is thought, of poison, believed to be similar to acetanilide. The dead man, who was a familiar figure about the city streets, was sitting in the City Hall park Saturday afternoon, when he suddenly fell to the ground, writhing in agony. He was taken in the police ambulance to the Mary Fletcher hospital. Mr. Lucia is survived by several relatives in Burlington and Winoski.

FLEEING GERMANS ARRESTED.

They Admitted They Were Trying to
Leave the Country.

Boston, Aug. 6.—Two German sailors, who said they had escaped from an internment camp at New Orleans, were arrested here yesterday through the vigilance of an immigration inspector after they had shipped as Russian-Poles on a foreign steamer. In going over the crew list, the inspector noticed that the handwriting of the two men was of a German type. He examined them and after they had failed to answer his questions in Russian and Polish, one of them gave a reply in German and admitted that they were endeavoring to escape from the country. They gave their names as Julius Baron and Ernest Sabor.

NO SUSPECTED CASES.

And No New Cases in the Word of Health
Officer Stewart.

"No new cases and no suspected cases" was the word which went out from the office of Dr. J. W. Stewart of the local board of health as the third week of the quarantine opened this morning. Except for the three cases diagnosed last week, there have been no developments since late poliomyelitis made its appearance in Barre and the outlook to-day was regarded as most encouraging.

**BARRE GOLFER WON
STATE CHAMPIONSHIP**

William Johnston of Barre Golf Club
Defeated Everett I. Soule of Bur-
lington and Landed First State
Victory for Barre.

William Johnston of 77 Blackwell street is the first Barre man to capture the Vermont state golf championship, having won the title after some splendid playing in the state tournament held on the links of the Waubunakee Golf club in Burlington last week and culminating Saturday afternoon. Johnston met and defeated some of the best players entered in the competition, ending by putting Everett I. Soule of the Waubunakee club, 7 up and 5 to go, after a very hard contest. The first half of the match closed with Johnston only one up, and it was not until the play was resumed in the afternoon that the Barre man's superiority convincingly demonstrated itself.

Throughout the whole competition of the week Johnston played true to form and gave a good demonstration of the prowess which has been winning him local reputation as a member of the Barre Golf club. Johnston has been coming along fast during the last few seasons and has been rated as No. 1 man of the Barre club. So his victory in the state competition is but the continuation of development in the golfing game and, incidentally, it is a popular victory wherever the young man is known.

While not on the golf links Johnston is tracing accurate lines and measurements in his occupation of draftsman, and it may be that his eye for accuracy in that profession has served him well in shaping the course of the golf ball. Other odd times Johnston is playing baseball for the love of the game, having been the guardian of the "hot corner" for the Barre A. C. and the Italian A. C. and displaying no small amount of ability in that sport.

The winners of the other tournament matches at Burlington were as follows: Losing eight, first sixteen, Spaulding, Waubunakee, beat Hutchinson, Barre, six up and four to play; winning eight, second sixteen, Leslie, Montpelier, won from Engleby, Waubunakee, 1 up; losing eight, second sixteen, Lamb, Waubunakee, won from McMillan, Barre, 6 up and 5 to play.

The handicap match resulted in George Morse, Rutland, turning in the best gross score, which was 84. A. G. Mansur, Waubunakee, had the best net score, 117-40-67.

George Worthington was elected president, and Clarence L. Holden, secretary and treasurer of the Vermont State Golf association, at the annual meeting held Friday evening at the Waubunakee club. Both reside in Bennington, and are members of the Mt. Anthony Country club. It was voted to hold the next state tournament at the Mt. Anthony Country club of Bennington.

IN TWO ACCIDENTS.

Auto Sideswiped by Another and Then
Bumped by Trolley Car.

Rutland, Aug. 6.—Edward M. Pease of State street, owner of a Ford car, registry number 3264, was the victim of two peculiar accidents which happened in quick succession Saturday evening. Mr. Pease, in company with Mrs. Pease and his sister, Miss Alice Pease, had been attending the dance at Bonoseen park in Castleton, and had left the park for the return trip to Rutland about 9:45 o'clock. When within a short distance of Castleton Corners, the Ford met a large touring car with blinding lights and Mr. Pease being unable to see the road, attempted to pull his car to the side of the highway. When the touring car passed him it struck his machine, bending the front axle and removing the left front hub-cap.

Because of the bent axle, Mr. Pease was unable to control his car and it finally stopped with two wheels on the inside of the tracks of the Rutland Railway, Light and Power company, which at this point are on the east side of the highway. Mr. Pease attempted to get the number of the touring car which struck him, but the operator immediately threw off his lights and hurried on in the direction of the lake. Mr. Pease reported the matter to State's Attorney C. V. Poulin who was at Lake Bomoseen, but no trace of the fleeing car was secured.

When Mr. Pease found his car on the tracks he immediately bent his efforts toward removing it, and noticing the trolley running from Castleton Corners to the lake approaching, he ran down the track a distance of three hundred feet in an effort to stop the car. Either the motorman, Thomas Lillis, failed to see Mr. Pease or misunderstood the signal, and the car was not stopped until it had come in collision with the automobile, throwing Mrs. Pease, who was seated in the back seat, into the front of the car and badly smashing the radiator and engine.

Mrs. Pease received only minor injuries and the party was brought to Rutland by passing cars, the damaged auto being towed to a local garage late.

DIED OF INJURIES.

James Wilson of New Haven Was Struck
By Automobile.

Bristol Aug. 6.—James Wilson of New Haven, who was struck by an automobile driven by Mrs. C. F. Frary of Bristol, died of his injuries at his home yesterday afternoon.

The aged man, who was obliged to use a crutch, was walking by the roadside at the time of the accident and just before the car reached him he is said to have turned into the road in front of the machine. He was knocked down, one ear being torn from his head so that it hung by a shred and was otherwise injured.

Mr. Wilson is survived by his wife, a son, W. W. Wilson of this town, a daughter, Mrs. Herbert Hoffnagle of Thiondero, N. Y., and a granddaughter, Miss Alice Wilson of Brandon.

**WAR TAX BILL
NOW IN SENATE**

A Proposal to Raise \$2,006,-
867,000 Was Reported
Favorable To-day

**TO START DEBATE
LAST OF THE WEEK**

Chairman Simmons Hopes
to Have Bill Passed
Early Next Month

Washington, D. C., Aug. 6.—The war tax bill, finally revised to meet the latest estimates, was favorably reported to-day by the Senate finance committee. It proposes to raise \$2,006,970,000 by taxation. The House bill proposed \$1,000,867,000 in new taxes.

Chairman Simmons plans to call up the revised bill for debate the latter part of the week and hopes for its final enactment by Congress early next month. Most of the new taxes under the revised bill for war expenses of the present year would come from incomes, war excess profits, liquor and tobacco taxes.

CHASING A HORSE.

Angus Morency of Upper Graniteville
Had Been in His Usual Health
Up to That Time.

Angus Morency died suddenly yesterday morning at 7:30 while running to catch his horse, which was loose beside the road near his home in upper Graniteville. He had been in his usual health, but the extra exertion brought on an attack of heart trouble and death was almost instantaneous.

Mr. Morency had reached the age of 52 years and was a native of Canada, coming to Graniteville about 14 years ago and living there since that time, his occupation being that of a quarryman. His nearest surviving relative is a brother-in-law, Charles Bellemere, with whom he lived.

The funeral will take place Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock at St. Sylvester's church.

FUNERAL OF ANGELO COMOLLI.

Was Attended By Many Friends—Burial
at Hope Cemetery.

Many citizens of the Italian colony as well as others who were associated with the deceased in one way or another in the granite industry of Barre came together yesterday to pay tribute to the memory of Angelo G. Comolli, a prominent granite manufacturer, whose death at his home, 14 Comolli street, Saturday morning followed an illness of several months. The funeral was held at the house in the afternoon at 3 o'clock. The attendance included many of the men who are employed by Comolli & Co. Those who acted as bearers are: Celeste Bianchi, Emilio Bianchi, Frank Parrigoni, Joseph Calagni, Augusto Bizzozzerio and Battista Lucchina. A profuse floral tribute included a number of set pieces.

The body was placed in the vault at Elmwood cemetery and later in the week interment will be made in the family lot at Hope cemetery.

Included in the profusion of flowers were the following tributes: Set pieces, Celeste Bianchi and family, A. Bizzozzerio and family, J. Calagni and family, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Bianchi, Italian Pleasure club, F. Parrigoni and family, D. C. Rizzi and family, Granite Manufacturers' association, Mrs. Olgiati and Orlando, Carlo Bianchi, Amelio Bianchi, family; roses, Mrs. L. Rossi and family, Mrs. Chiodi and family, F. Rizzi and family, Merlo family